paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

#### Amendments

### In the Specification:

Please delete the existing Sequence Listing for the above-identified application filed in the present matter on May 4, 2001 (pages 1-4), and substitute therefor the Substitute Sequence Listing (pages 1-4) that is appended hereto.

#### Remarks

By the foregoing amendments, the specification has been amended to delete the previously submitted paper copy of the Sequence Listing, and to substitute therefor the Substitute Sequence Listing that corrects the inadvertent errors in the original sequence listing that are indicated on the Notice dated July 13, 2001. Hence, no new matter is added by entry of the foregoing amendments to the specification.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.825, Applicants' undersigned representative states that the present submission of the substitute sequence listing includes no new matter, and that the paper copy and computer readable copy of the Substitute Sequence Listing submitted herewith are the same.

It is respectfully believed this application is now in condition for immediate examination. Early notice to this effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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# Version with markings to show changes made

## In the Specification:

In the specification, after the drawings, the present sequence listing (pages 1-4) is sought to be deleted and replaced with the substitute sequence listing (pages 1-4) appended hereto.